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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir,

This is a response to the Office Action with a mailing date of October 3, 2005, and a statutorily shortened response due date of January 3, 2006. A Request for Extension of Time accompanies this paper in the same submittal.

An **Amendments to the Claims** section begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.